

WEICON

1952



Foreword

Through this open door walk the citizens of tomorrow. The pride felt by the SENIOR in walking through this door does not develop overnight. It grows from long years of learning and experience. Come in and observe the perseverance and diligent work of the SENIORS of today and tomorrow. Look for the achievements that we the SENIORS of today have accomplished and those that our underclassmen will strive to create. We wish we could unlock the door to all the sentimental and memorable events that have taken place during our high school life but, we can only try, through this open door, to let you see what our school life has meant to us. Standing on the threshold of the world of tomorrow with the confident hopefulness of inspired and challenged youth, we, the Class of 1952, shall try to play our full part in the drama of the future.



PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL BOARD

James F. Shankweiler—*Supervising Principal*
 Edward S. Deck—*President*
 John J. Ott—*Vice President*
 W. Earl Brenneman—*Secretary*
 Luther D. Webber—*Treasurer*
 Raymond M. Anderson—*Member*



"Present day problems cast such heavy shadows upon the world of tomorrow that it is easy for us to look upon the future with a feeling of insecurity. But this we know: Every individual can, in a large measure, determine his own future . . . not only in the way he has prepared himself, but even more by the efforts he puts forth in making his community the type of enterprise which will allow people to live peaceably in cooperative activity."

—JAMES F. SHANKWEILER

Supervising Principal: James F. Shankweiler.



Dedication

The Class of 1952, dedicate this year book to you, Mr. Gilbert R. Feeg, whose understanding, advice, and encouragement has guided us in our education. We, in grateful appreciation, wish to express our gratitude for your kind understanding and assistance.



Laura M. Wagner
Kutztown State Teachers College
Grade Two



Laura M. Snyder
Kutztown State Teachers College
Grade One



Shirley H. Zimmerman, B.S.
Kutztown State Teachers College
Grade Three



Emma W. Bicher
Kutztown State Teachers College
Grade Four



Annie L. Eberly
Kutztown State Teachers College
Grade Five



Annie E. Kintzer
Kutztown State Teachers College
Grade Six



Elwood E. Himmelberger, B.S.
Kutztown State Teachers College
Geography, History, English

William J. Heffner, B.S.
Albright College
Mathematics, German
(on Leave of Absence to Armed Services)



Adele E. Bast, B.S.
Albright College
Health, Home Economics, Science



Gilbert R. Feeg, B.S.
Albright College
Science, Mathematics



Lillian B. Coppola, B.S.
Bloomsburg State Teachers College
Commercial Subjects



Thomas R. Jenkins, B.S.
Bucknell University
English, History



J. Robert Gibson, B.S.
Edinboro State Teachers College
Art, Health, Shop, Physical Education



J. Albert Leader, B.S.
West Chester State Teachers College
Music, History



Doris M. Weidner, B.S.
West Chester State Teachers College
English, Latin, Library, Physical Education



Ethel M. Hamaker, R.D.H.
Eastman Dental Dispensary
University of Rochester
Dental Hygienist

James F. Shankweiler, B.S., M.S.
Kutztown State Teachers College
University of Pennsylvania
*Guidance, Civics
Supervising Principal*



Mary I. Beaver, R.N.
Homeopathic Hospital
University of Pennsylvania
School Nurse

Class Will and Testament

WE, THE CLASS OF '52 of Womelsdorf High School, being mentally awake, morally straight, and physically fit, do now proclaim this document of wit and humor as our last will and testament, to be carried out upon our departure from this Alma Mater.

ONE—We declare that all our duties be accomplished as soon as possible after our departure.

TWO—We give and bequeath to the Junior Class our ability in making all extra-curricular activities a success.

THREE—We give and bequeath to the Sophomore Class our ability to transact business efficiently with Landis and Landis.

FOUR—We give and bequeath to the Freshman Class our ability to accrue monetary wealth.

FIVE—We give and bequeath to Carl Bloss's love for debating to Neal Seigfried.

SIX—We give and bequeath Harvey Deck's beautiful wavy hair to David Raihl.

SEVEN—We give and bequeath Nannette DeLong's cheerleading ability to Irene Parana.

EIGHT—We give and bequeath Violet Fidler's secretarial abilities to Nancy Correll.

NINE—We give and bequeath Aileen Hook's beautiful eyes to Richard Hyssong.

TEN—We give and bequeath Marian Leininger's love for selling refreshments at basketball games to Shirley Fetter.

ELEVEN—We give and bequeath Dorothy Lutz's quiet nature to Anita Eiceman.

TWELVE—We give and bequeath Eugene Madenford's sense of humor to Donald Shartle.

THIRTEEN—We give and bequeath Vivian Manbeck's rosy cheeks to Peggy McGee.

FOURTEEN—We give and bequeath Peggy McLean's typing skill to Jim Dengler.

FIFTEEN—We give and bequeath David Monroe's all-around athletic ability to Carl Hunter.

SIXTEEN—We give and bequeath Nancy Mountz's jovial spirit to Helen Snyder.

SEVENTEEN—We give and bequeath Joseph Parana's love for scouting to Gerald Hartman.

EIGHTEEN—We give and bequeath David Porter's skill in carpentry to George Warren.

NINETEEN—We give and bequeath Joyce Potteiger's yearbook typing experience to Donald Smith.

TWENTY—We give and bequeath Elizabeth Rhodes' gum cracking to Bobby Monroe.

TWENTY-ONE—We give and bequeath William Rohrbach's veterinarian experience to Peggy Flickinger.

TWENTY-TWO—We give and bequeath Roy Rosenberger's loud ties to William Baitinger.

TWENTY-THREE—We give and bequeath Nancy Schaeffer's musical talent to Geraldine Hartman.

TWENTY-FOUR—We give and bequeath Patricia Schaum's natural voice to Thomas Stewart.

TWENTY-FIVE—We give and bequeath Pauline Schwartz's beautiful blonde locks to Lois Putt.

TWENTY-SIX—We give and bequeath Ann Seyler's wittiness to Diane Shartle.

TWENTY-SEVEN—We give and bequeath Gerald Smith's masculine physique to Louis Schwartz.

TWENTY-EIGHT—We give and bequeath Harold Smith's way with the opposite sex to Luther Moyer.

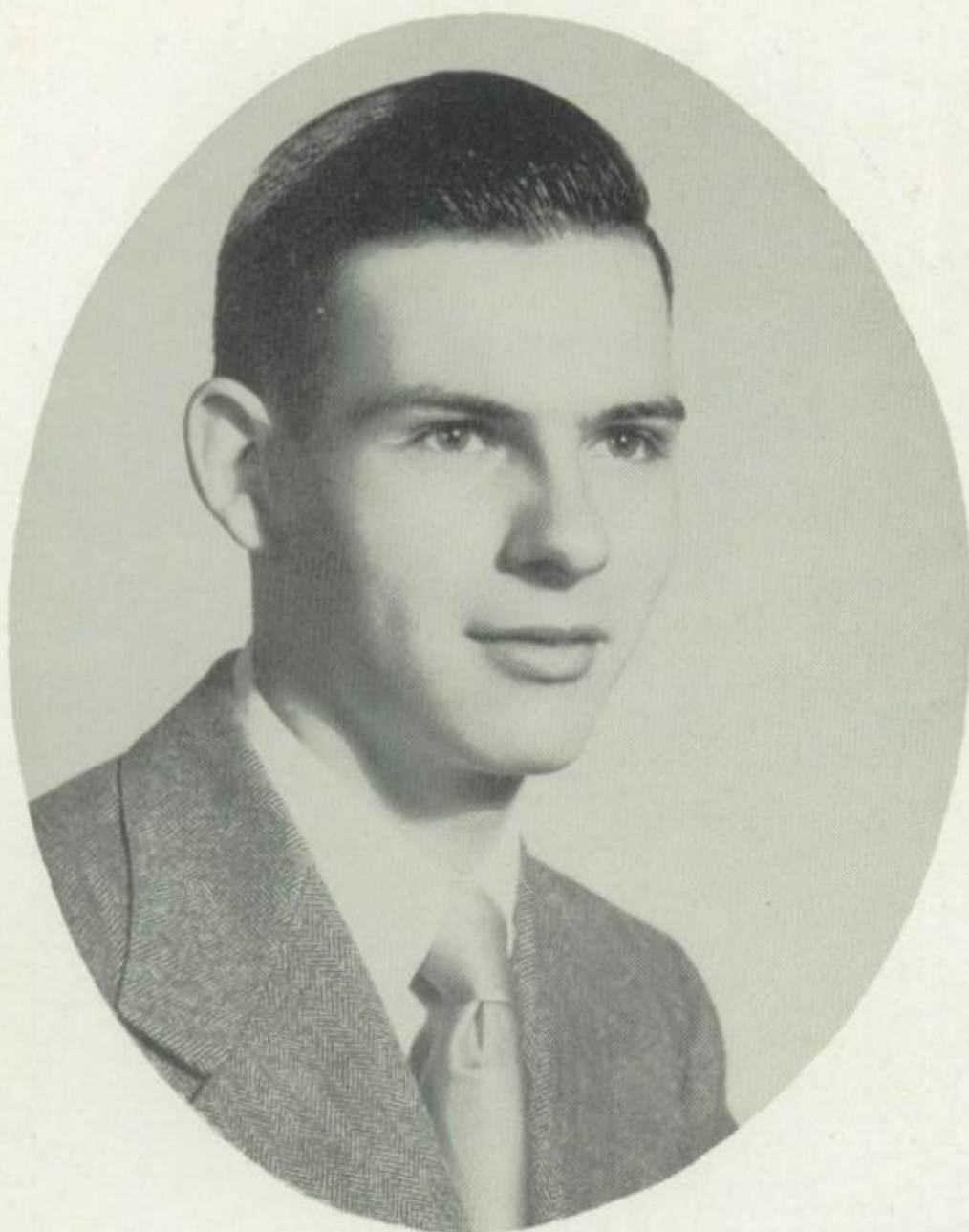
TWENTY-NINE—We give and bequeath June Stine's love for telling jokes to Jean Auman.

In witness thereof, we have hereto subscribed and affixed our name and seal, this, the twenty-seventh day of May in the year of our Lord, On Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-two.



"The True test of civilization is, not the census, nor the size of cities, nor the crops—no, but the kind of man the country turns out."

—RALPH WALDO EMERSON



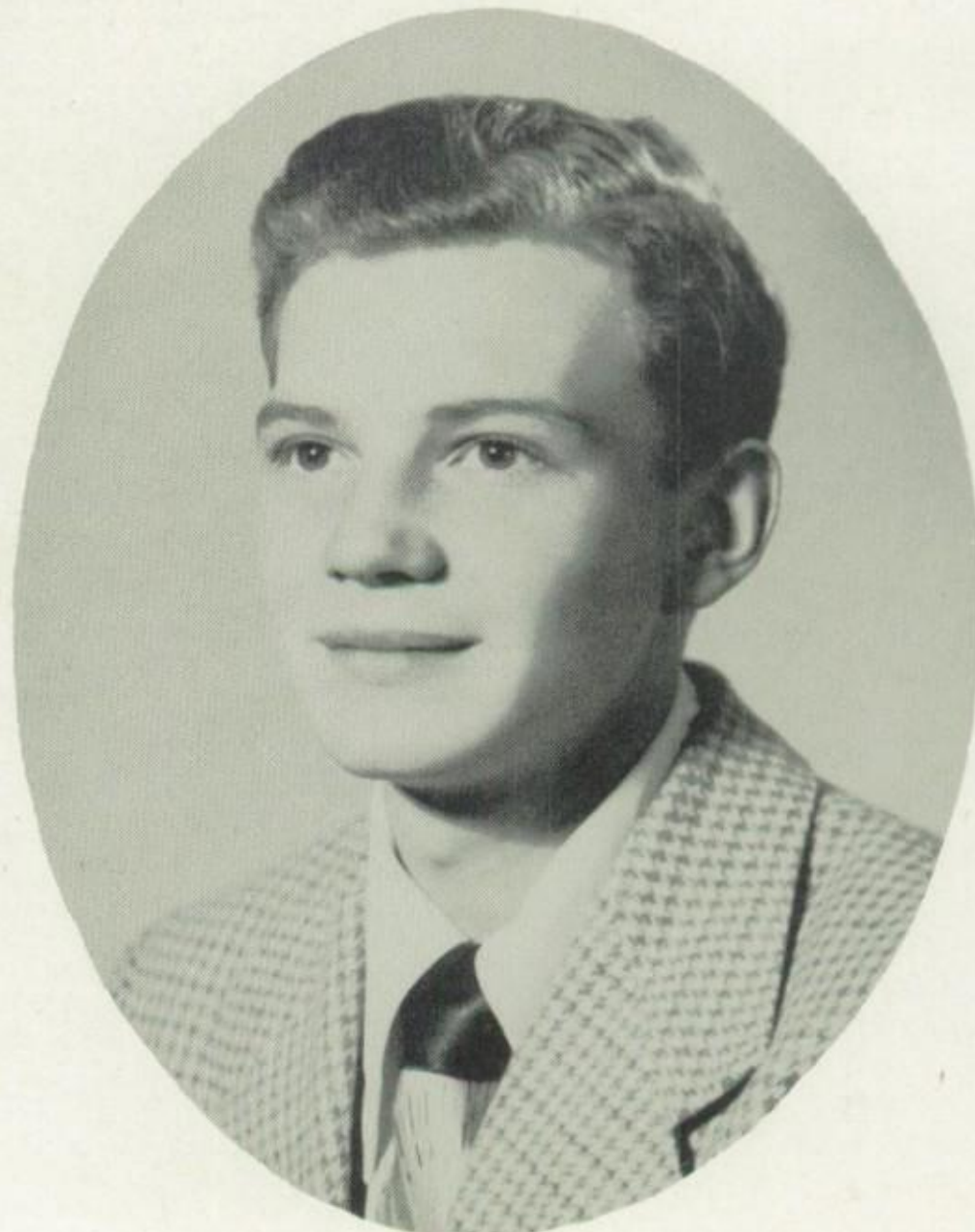
CARL HENRY BLOSS

"Jake"

"Academic"

Always buried in books . . . Music lover . . . Ambition is to become a history teacher . . . Active in all Senior functions—Past president

Pres. of Class 3	Boys' Glee Club 3
Band and Orchestra Treas. 4	Varsity Glee Club 2
Band 2, 3, 4	Class Play 4
Orchestra 4	Basketball 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4	Jr. Town Meeting 3
County Chorus 1, 2, 3	Debating 4
Lionaires 3	Baseball 4



HARVEY HOUNCKER DECK, JR.

"Houncker"

"Commercial"

Plays trombone . . . Jokester . . . Ambition is to become a salesman . . . Probably will follow in his father's footsteps . . . Likes to drive his dad's Chevy

Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4

Chorus 1, 2, 3
Baseball 1, 4



NANNETTE EILEEN DELONG

"Nannette"

"Academic"

Friend of everyone . . . Prom Queen . . . Has natural wavy hair . . . Great worker of the class . . . Ambition is to become a nurse

Band 1, 2, 3, 4

Lionaires 3

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

Y-Teens 1, 2

Cheerleading 1, 2, 3, 4

County Chorus 2, 3

Girls' Glee Club 3

Debating 2, 3

Class Play 3, 4

W-Club 1, 2

Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4

VIOLET AMY FIDLER

"Violet"

"Commercial"

Good secretary for the class . . . Favorite subject is shorthand . . . "Shorty" of the class . . . Has natural curly hair . . . Dreams of achieving 5 feet . . . Hopes to become a secretary

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

Sewing Club 3, 4

Band 4

Sec. of Sewing Club 3

Lionaires 3

Student Service Club 4

Girls' Glee Club 3

Pres. of Student Service 4

Y-Teens 1, 2

Class Secretary 2, 3, 4





AILEEN AVALONA HOOK

"Hooky"

"Commercial"

Talkative . . . Very reliable . . . Active in class functions . . . Hobbies—Fancy work and letter writing . . . Enjoys working in the office at school . . . Enjoys driving her dad's car . . . Hopes to become a secretary

Y-Teens 1, 2

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

Sewing Club 3, 4

Student Service Club 4

MARIAN LOUISE LEININGER

"Marian"

"Commercial"

Quiet, but active in Senior business . . . Likes shorthand . . . Very co-operative and pleasant . . . Dimples . . . Nice personality . . . Quite attractive . . . Easy to get along with . . . Loves to sell refreshments at basketball games . . . A smile for everyone . . . Original member of the class . . . Left-handed

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

Band 2, 3, 4

Orchestra 4

Y-Teens 1, 2





DOROTHY ANNA LUTZ

"Dotty"

"Academic"

Charming but extremely quiet . . . Studious . . . Ambitious . . . Has a smile for everyone . . . Good German student . . . Loves to sew . . . Always studying . . . Pleasant personality . . . Ambition is to become a nurse . . . Likes protecting her mischievous cute, little brother when he has just done something unpredictable

Sewing Club 3, 4

Senior Chorus 3

Class Play Ticket Committee 3

EUGENE COLONEL MADENFORD

"Mady"

"Commercial"

A likeable lad who drives and talks about Chryslers . . . An excellent Master of Ceremonies . . . Always in a cheerful mood . . . Romeo of the Senior Class . . . Well dressed handsome lad . . . Good actor in Class Plays

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4

Science Club 3, 4

Band 1, 2

Class Play 3, 4

Chorus 1, 2, 3

Soccer 4

Newspaper Club 4





VIVIAN PAULINE MANBECK

"Vivian"

"Commercial"

Easy to get along with . . . Always giggling . . . Likes shorthand and typing . . . Excellent treasurer of the Senior class . . . Farmerette with a 4-H steer

Y-Teens 1, 2

Class Play 4

Class Treasurer 3, 4

Chorus Treasurer 4

Accounting Club 3, 4

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

Newspaper Club 4

Business Manager and Exchange Editor of Newspaper 4

MARGARET DORIS McLEAN

"Peggy"

"Commercial"

Known for her ability to play the piano . . . Likes shorthand and typing . . . Cute blonde . . . Pleasing personality . . . Likes Lebanon

Athletic Association Treas. 3, 4

Band 1, 2, 3, 4

Lionaires Accompanist 3

Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4

Girls' Glee Club Accompanist 3

Class Play 3

Junior County Chorus 1, 2, 3

Dance Band 4

Senior County Chorus 3

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

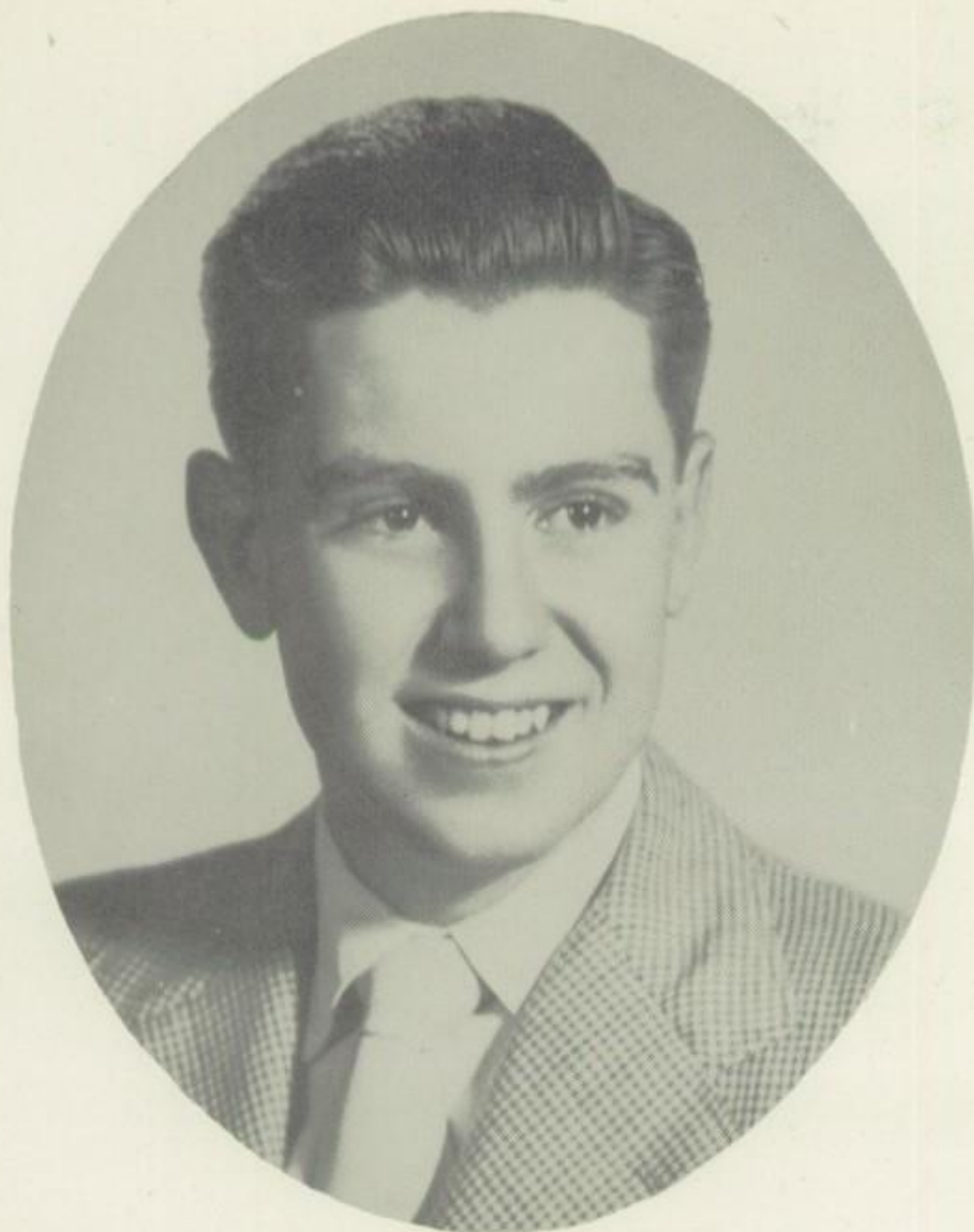
Business Manager Year Book 4

Cheerleading 1, 2, 3

Junior Chorus Accompanist 1, 2, 3, 4

Y-Teens 1, 2





DAVID KYLE MONROE

"Red"

"Commercial"

All around athlete and exceptionally good basketball player . . . Beautiful red hair . . . Likes Stan Kenton . . . Frequently seen at Newmanstown . . . Likes typing

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4	Senior Class Pres. 4
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4	Editor of Yearbook 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4	Photography Club 4
Soccer 4	County Chorus 3
Class Play 3, 4	Vice Pres. of Senior Chorus 4
Lionaires 3	Vice Pres. of Athletic Association 3

NANCY MABLE MOUNTZ

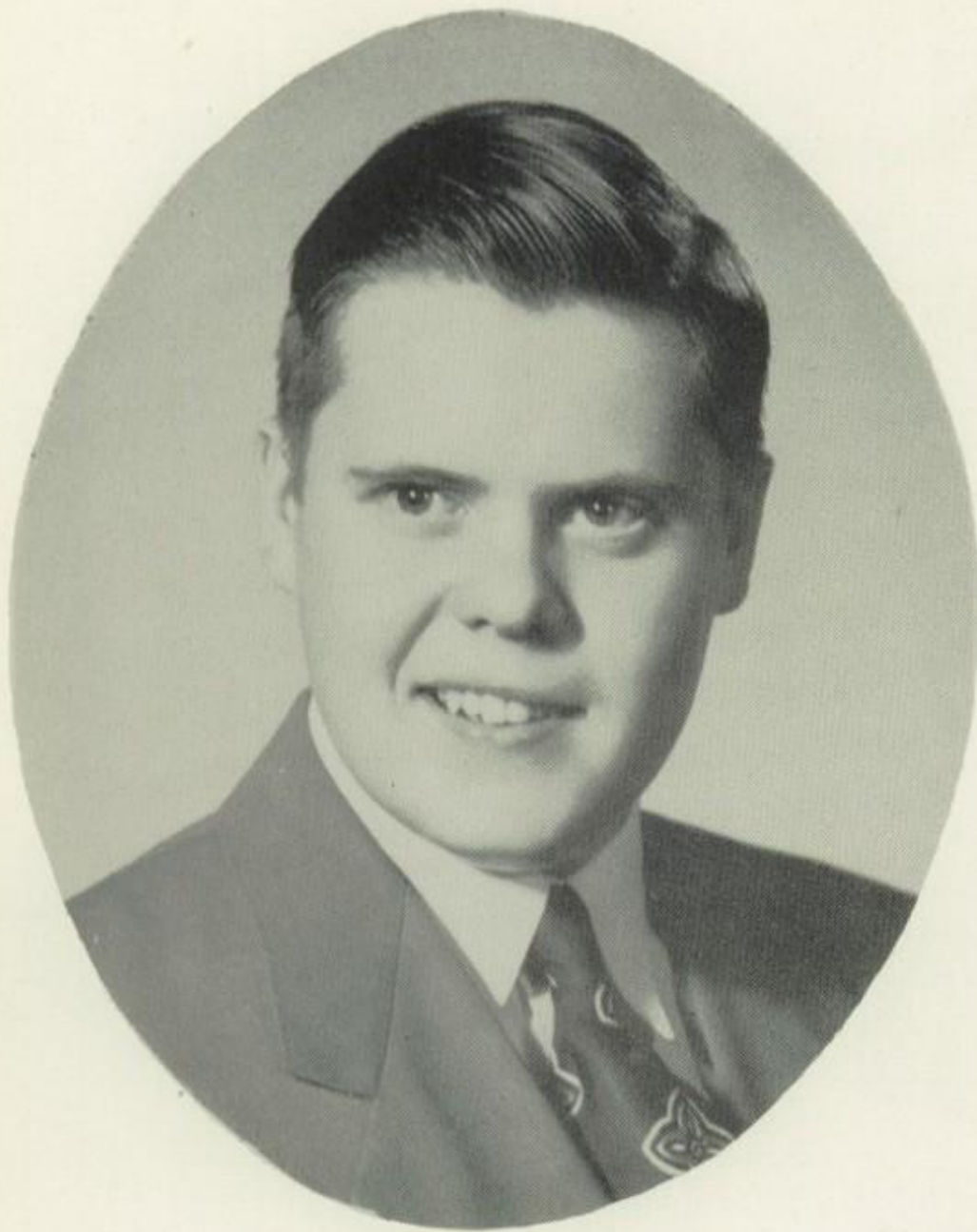
"Nancy"

"Commercial"

A quiet, but hard worker at Senior functions . . . Favorite hobby—Photography . . . Likes art . . . Make-up artist . . . Loves to hear jokes . . . Likes choir practice . . . Always talking with a certain teacher . . . Original member of class

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4	Library Club 3, 4
Y-Teens 1, 2	Photography Club 4
Treas. of Library Club 3	





JOSEPH WILLIAM PARANA

"Joe"

"Academic"

Very likeable lad . . . Likes to play football and soccer . . . Likes history . . . Easy to get along with . . . Likes television . . . Helpful in every way . . . Square and fair in everything . . . Everybody's friend

Soccer 4

Basketball Timer 4

Basketball Manager 2, 3

Science Club 3, 4

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

DAVID JOSEPH PORTER

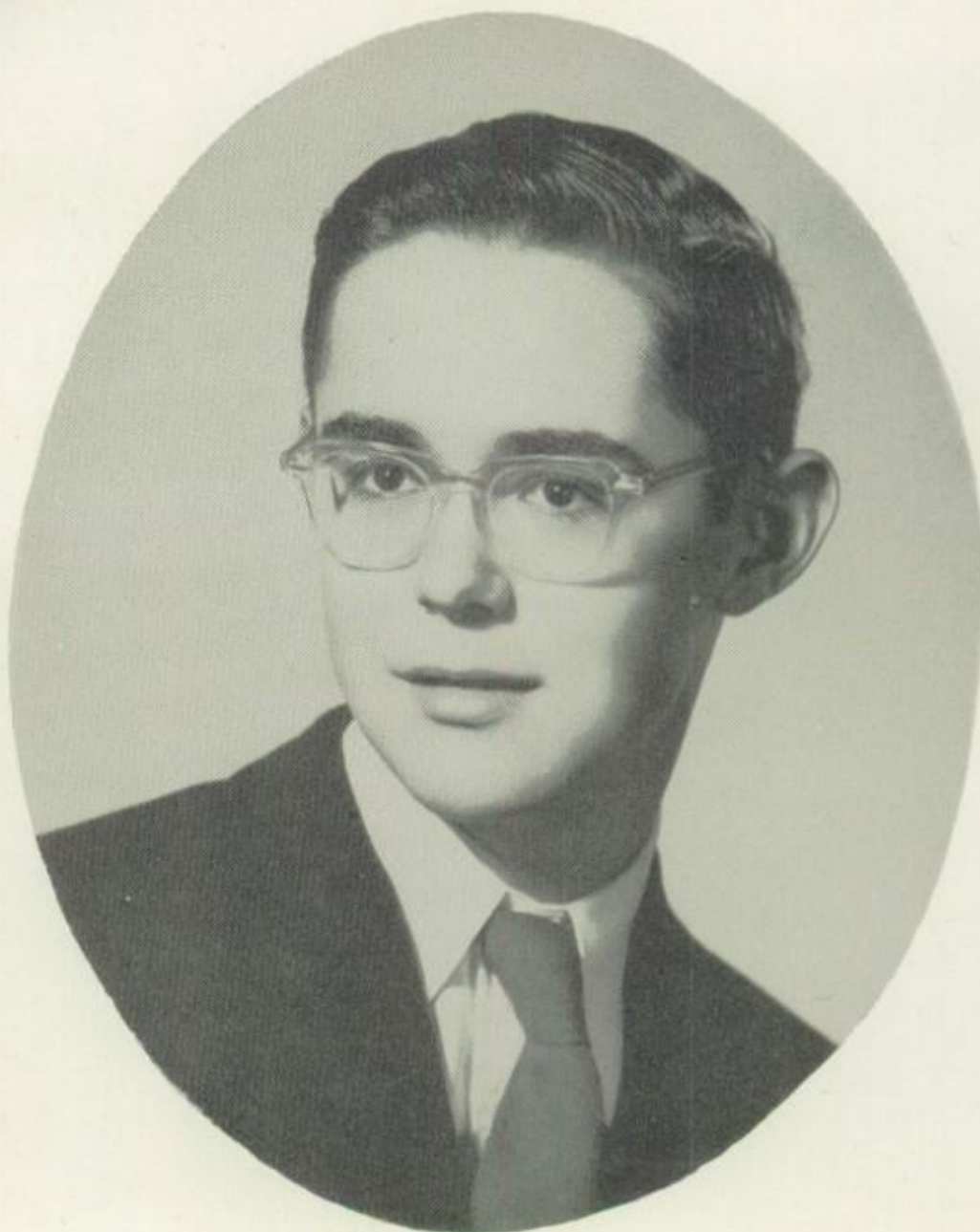
"David"

"Commercial"

Mechanical genius of the Senior Class . . . Likes to tinker with things . . . Carpenter of the class . . . Very tricky in his own way . . . Small fry of the boys . . . Likes popular music

Chorus 1, 2, 3

Science Club 3, 4





JOYCE LOUISE POTTEIGER

"Potty"

"Commercial"

Always cheerful and co-operative . . . Likes shorthand and typing . . . Likes popular music . . . Blue glasses . . . Hopes to become a secretary

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4	Student Service Club 4
Band 2, 3, 4	Vice Pres. of Student Service 4
Cheerleading 1, 2, 3, 4	Class Play 4
W-Club 1, 2	Y-Teens 1, 2
Pres. of Sewing Club 3	Typist for Yearbook 4
	Sewing Club 3, 4

ELIZABETH VIOLA RHODES

"Liz"

"Commercial"

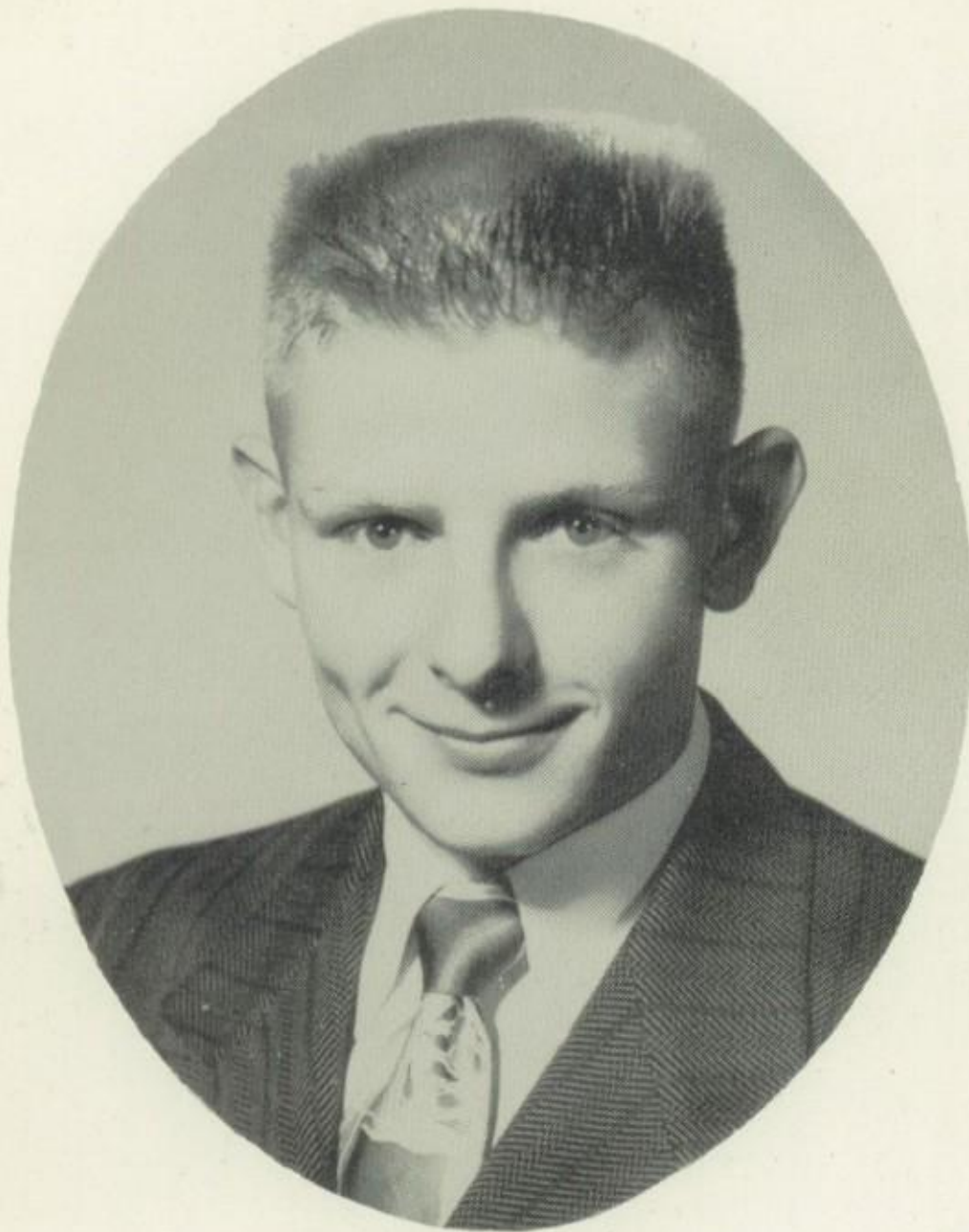
Cute blonde from Bethany . . . Very good volley ball player . . . Likes bookkeeping . . . Always laughing . . . Hopes to become a secretary

Chorus 1, 2, 3

Class Play 3

Accounting Club 3, 4





WILLIAM TOBIAS ROHRBACH

"Bill"

"Academic"

Works for a veterinarian and likes to talk about his experiences . . . When missing from class—operating . . . Very aggressive basketball player . . . Likes chemistry . . . Hopes to become a doctor—Good Luck!

Pres. of Athletic Association 4

Science Club 3, 4

Pres. of Science Club 4

Play 3

Chorus 3

Basketball 3, 4

ROY LINCOLN ROSENBERGER

"Smiling Jack"

"Commercial"

When there is mischief, Roy is always around . . . Always smiling, cheerful, and co-operative . . . Wears those flashy bow ties . . . Likes shorthand . . . Center on the basketball team who always fouls

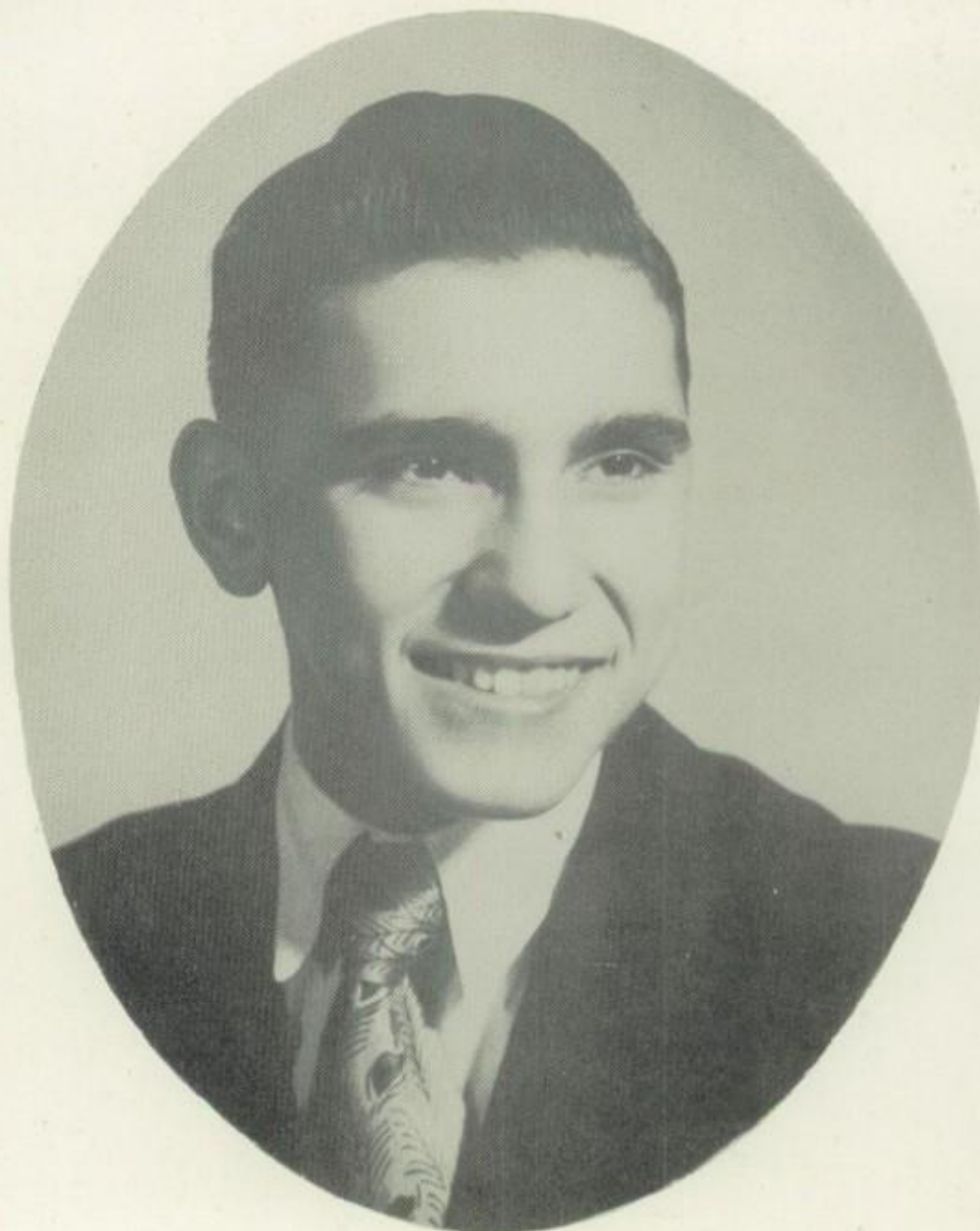
Class Play 3, 4

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

Photography Club 3

Basketball 2, 3, 4

Baseball 3, 4





NANCY LOUISE SCHAEFFER

"Nancy"

"Academic"

Best there is in sports and music . . . Always laughter in the air with Nancy around . . . Pleasing personality . . . Good art student . . . Ambition is to be a nurse

Lionaires Accompanist 3	Orchestra 3, 4
Boys' Glee Club Accompanist 3	Vice Pres. of Band 4
Girls' Glee Club 3	Assistant Librarian of Band 3
County Orchestra 2, 3	District Chorus 3
District Orchestra 3, 4	Secretary of Class 1
Dance Band 4	Class Play 3, 4
County Band 2, 3	Sr. Chorus Accompanist 1, 2, 3, 4
District Band 3, 4	Sr. County Chorus Accompanist 2, 3
Band 1, 2, 3, 4	State Band 3

PATRICIA ANN SCHAUM

"Patsy"

"Academic"

Known throughout the school for her vocal abilities . . . Active in all school activities . . . Attractive . . . Smart dresser . . . Ambition is to become a nurse . . . Intelligent . . . Lots of fun . . . Pleasing personality

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4	Lionaires 3
Girls' Glee Club 3	County Chorus 3
District Chorus 3	Newspaper Club 3, 4
Editor of Newspaper 4	Debating 2, 3, 4
Jr. Town Meeting 3, 4	Class Play 3, 4
Assistant Editor of Yearbook 4	
President of Senior Chorus 4	





PAULINE FRANCIS SCHWARTZ

"Bubs"

"Commercial"

The blonde with the naturally curly hair . . . Always full of smiles . . . Always friendly and easy to get along with . . . Favorite past time and hobby—baby-sitting . . . Likes to sell refreshments at basketball games . . . Dimples . . . Hopes to become a secretary

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

Library Club 3

Student Service 4

Class Play 4

Sewing Club 4

Y-Teens 1

Pres. of Library Club 3

ELIZABETH ANN SEYLER

"Ann"

"Academic"

A leader . . . Full of fun . . . Swell personality . . . Studebaker fan who loves to go to Drive-Ins . . . Our Journalist . . . Easy to get along with

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

Newspaper Club 3

Lionaires 3

Assistant Editor of Newspaper 3

Glee Club 3

Class Play 3, 4

Debating 2, 3

Band 1, 2, 4

Jr. Town Meeting 2, 3

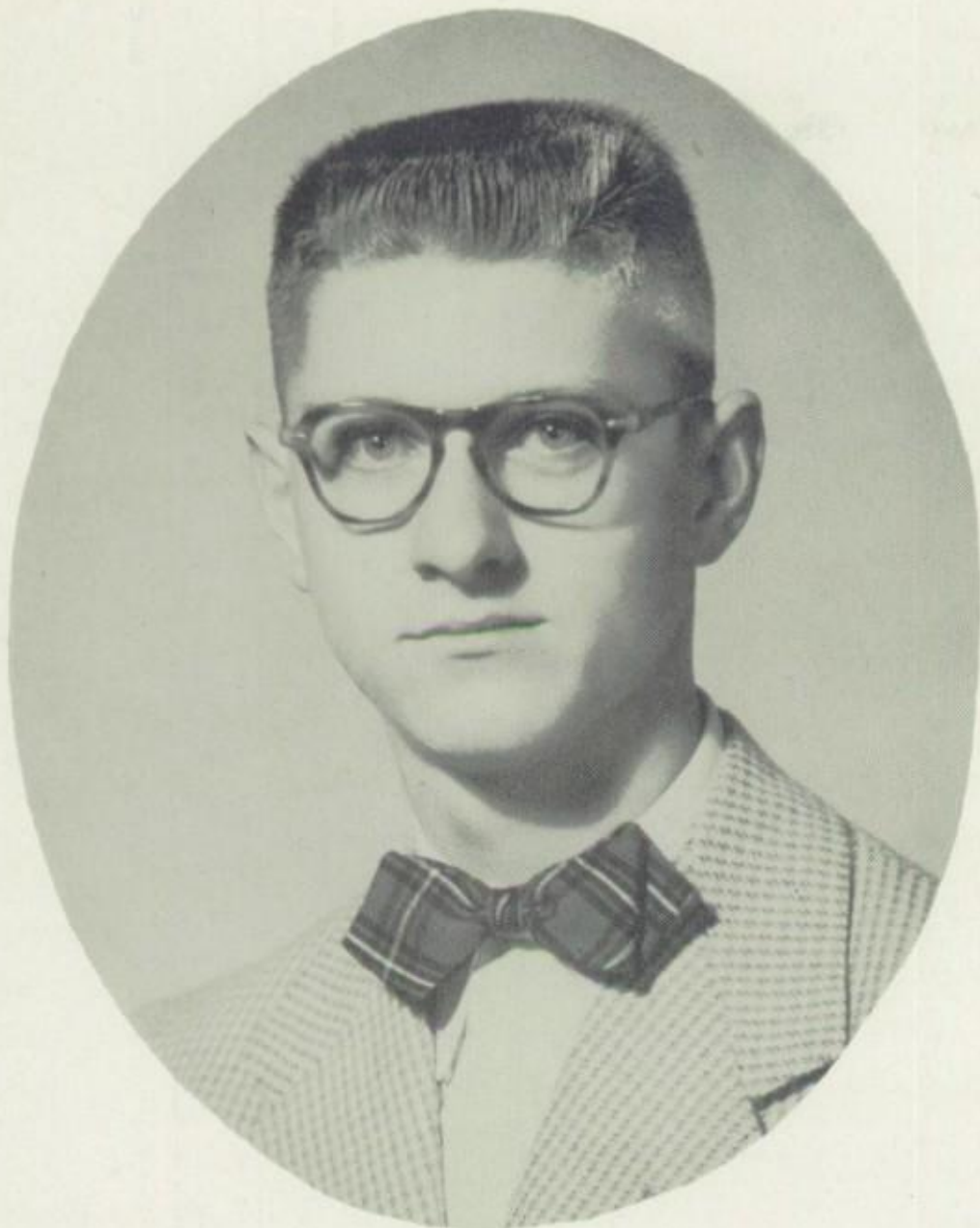
Orchestra 1, 2, 4

County Chorus 1

Secretary of Band 4

County Band 1





GERALD PAUL SMITH

"Schmitty"

"Academic"

Everybody's pal in the Senior class . . . Terrific build
 . . . Likes German . . . Wonderful voice . . . Plays
 trumpet in band

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4

Band 1, 2, 3, 4

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4

Class Play 3

Soccer 4

Pres. of Band and Orchestra 4

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

County Chorus 1, 3, 4

Orchestra 3, 4

District Chorus 4

Lionaires 3

HAROLD JAMES SMITH

"Smitty"

"Academic"

Good German student . . . Steady, and dependable as a
 substitute on the basketball squad . . . Active in Senior
 activities . . . Swell guy

Basketball 4

Photography Club 3

Baseball 3, 4

Class Play 3, 4

Chorus 1, 2, 3

Science Club 4





JUNE DOROTHY STINE

"Stiney"

"Commercial"

Attractive redhead lass from Bethany . . . Pleasant smile . . . Just *loves?* to sew . . . Likes shorthand . . . Wants to become a secretary

Chorus 1, 2, 3

Sewing Club 4

Library Club 3

An Acknowledgement:

The Class of 1952 has now reached the threshold of another life. As we look back over the past twelve years of school life, we now see the many fine opportunities which were made possible through the school—opportunities for a good education, wholesome sports, and a fine social life. In appreciation we would like to give one hundred and fifty dollars from our treasury which can be only a mere token of our deepest gratitude.

ART AND ASSEMBLING COMMITTEES:

Foreword and Dedication:

Peggy McLean
Ann Seyler

Classes:

Joyce Potteiger
Nancy Mountz
Pauline Schwartz

Faculty:

Patricia Schaum
Nannette DeLong
Nancy Schaeffer

Sports:

Carl Bloss
David Monroe

Seniors:

Patricia Schaum
Nancy Schaeffer
Nannette DeLong

Activities:

Marian Leininger
Vivian Manbeck

Year Book Staff

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF—David Monroe

ASSISTANT EDITOR—Patricia Schaum

BUSINESS MANAGER—Peggy McLean

SNAPS:

Violet Fidler
Aileen Hook

ADVERTISING AND PUBLICITY:

June Stine
Elizabeth Rhodes
Dorothy Lutz
Harvey Deck

Harold Smith
Gerald Smith
Joseph Parana
Eugene Madenford

William Rohrbach
David Porter
Roy Rosenberger

ADVISORS:

Mr. J. Robert Gibson
Mr. Thomas Jenkins
Mr. James F. Shankweiler



"A child, however educated, is still untaught if by his teaching we have not emphasized his individual character, if we have not strengthened his will and its guide and guardian, the mind."
—DAVID STARR JORDON



Eleventh Grade

First Row, Left to Right: Anita Eiceman, Evelyn Boyer, Marlene Long, Shirley Fetter, Jean Auman, Nancy Correll, Helen Snyder.

Second Row: Teacher—Mr. Gilbert Feeg, Margaret McGee, James Dengler, Jerome Behney, Thomas Stewart, Richard Hyssong, Carl Hunter, William Baitinger, Richard Schlicker, Irene Parana.

Third Row: Gerald Hartman, Robert Monroe, Louis Brown, Donald Smith, Neal Seigfried, David Raihl.

CLASS OFFICERS

Class Advisers—Mr. Gilbert Feeg and Mr. J. Albert Leader

President—Robert Monroe

Vice President—William Baitinger

Secretary—Marlene Long

Treasurer—Helen Snyder



Tenth Grade

First Row, Left to Right: Peggy Flickinger, Patricia Bassett, Nancy Gerhart, Charlotte Knerr, Dolores Gilbert, Diane Shartle, Lois Putt, Rachael Miller.

Second Row: Teacher—Mrs. Lillian Coppola, Shirley Henninger, Charles Madenford, George Ney, George Warren, Clair Miller, Donald Shartle, Marian Kintzer.

Third Row: Luther Moyer, Edwin Kershner, Barbara Rieker, Ann Warren, Gerald Schwartz, Louis Schwartz.

Not Pictured: Edward Schwartz, Jill Bashore

CLASS OFFICERS

Class Adviser—Mrs. Lillian Coppola

President—Gerald Schwartz

Vice President—Louis Schwartz

Secretary—Jill Bashore

Treasurer—Dolores Gilbert



Ninth Grade

First Row, Left to Right: Michael Mattis, Harry Schaum, Grace Auchenbach, Patsy Auman, Louise Frankie, Nancy Dissinger, Shirley Straub, Nancy Brown, David Hays, Sandra Hippert, William Lape, Richard Raihl.

Second Row: Teacher—Mr. William Heffner, Harry Sanderson, Wilson Hartrauft, Arlene Fields, Harriett Ann Good, Patricia Gettle, Anna McGee, Sarah Moyer, Thelma Behney, Barbara Gosch, Dorothy Ann Spayd, Nancy Klopp, Harriett Lee Hoffa, Beverly Long, Clarence Hinnershitz, Charles Aumiller, Charles Behney, Edgar Thoast.

Third Row: Shirley Unger, Robert Correll, Julia Ann Nicholas, James Henn, Robert Fidler, Ronald McNab, John Sellers, Leonard Price, Russell Abbott, Dale Rosenberger, Karl Fink, William Conrad, Francis Beidelman, Samuel Fogal, George Conrad, Russell Dobson, Rodney Miller.

CLASS OFFICERS

Class Advisers—Mrs. Kathryn R. Minnich and Mrs. Doris Weidner

President—Karl Fink

Vice President—Barbara Gosch

Secretary—Arlene Fields

Treasurer—John Sellers



Eighth Grade

First Row, Left to Right: Dale Meiser, William McLean, Dolores Conrad, Sandra Oberly, Wayne Chelius, Frederick Herbine.

Second Row: Kenneth Riegel, Gerald Oberly, Adam Zerbe, Susan Gosch, Sylvia Gerhart, Nancy Spitler, Paul Snyder, David Pannabecker.

CLASS OFFICERS

Class Adviser—Miss Adele Bast

President—Susan Gosch

Vice President—Kenneth Riegel

Secretary—Wayne Chelius

Treasurer—William McLean



Seventh Grade

First Row, Left to Right: Terry Deck, Betsy Eagelman, Peter Lewis, William Gosch, Lynwood Behney, Diane Auman, Louise Parana, Terry Alexander.

Second Row: Teacher—Mr. Elwood Himmelberger, Luther Moyer, Mary Ann Keppley, Marian Gruber, Nancy Kintzer, Marilyn McLean, Gail Maurer, Marianne Gosch, Dale Oberly.

Third Row: Shirley Gilbert, Barry Bickle, Jay Hippert, Delbert Maze, Robert Gibson, Larry Luckenbill, Lorraine Spangler.

CLASS OFFICERS

Class Adviser—Mr. Elwood Himmelberger

President—Terry Alexander

Vice President—Robert Gibson

Secretary—Gail Maurer

Treasurer—Shirley Gilbert



Sixth Grade

First Row, Left to Right: Margaret Zerbe, Mary Ann McAllister, Carol Benschoff, Jane Eisenbise, Rozanne Potteiger, Jean Moyer, Lucille Boltz, Esther Redcay.

*Second Row: Teacher—*Miss Annie Kintzer, Sandra Kreitz, Laura Frantz, Winifred Garrett, Dana Bennetch, Nancy Kurtz, Anna Brown, Carolyn Kershner, Ann Lewis, June Hoffa.

Third Row: Gordon Auman, Bruce Snyder, Larry Brenneman, Frank Teslow, Daniel Raihl.



Fifth Grade

First Row, Left to Right: Maxine Slagle, Patricia Gerhart, Elizabeth Gilbert, James Keppley, Terry Yeiser, Linda Binner, Margaret Merkel, Kathryn Scholar.

Second Row: Teacher—Miss Annie Eberly, George Good, Gordon Oberly, Doris Dunmire, Gretchen Ritter, Marcia Klopp, Doris Styer, Thomas Wolfe, Stephen Shartle.

Third Row: Glenn Leininger, Barbara Lape, Lester Redcay, Rochelle Behney.



Fourth Grade

First Row, Left to Right: Annette Swope, Jane Shanfelder, Judi Erwin, Richard Kreitz, Gail Styer, Bonnie Moore, Mary Ann Hayes, Ellouise Hohl.

Second Row: Teacher—Mrs. Emma Bicher, Barry Haag, David Rohrbach, Nancy Schwartz, Ann Sonnen, Paula Engle, David Aulenbach, Ray Swope, Gene Aulenbach, Barry Long.

Third Row: Elizabeth McLean, Dale Raihl, Craig Batdorff, Roberta Potteiger, Joanne Teslow, Robert Coffey.
Not Pictured: Barbara Fidler.



Third Grade

First Row, Left to Right: Sandra Moore, Evett Slagle, Rebecca Weatherholtz, Shirley Ann Behney, Susan Wolfe, Linda Lee Keppley, Charles Gibson, Joyce Strickler, Robert Himmelberger.
Second Row: Teacher—Mrs. Shirley Zimmerman, David Maurer, Bruce Jones, George Bashore, Barry Lee Schoener, Daniel Strawser, David Slagle, Joel Bashore, Carl Gromis, Bruce Luckenbill, Judith Ann Behney, Georgia Spangler.
Third Row: Shirley Good, Sandra Ann Batdorf, Larry McAllister, Linda Krick, Glenn Straub, Anna May Maze, George Good, Jr.



Second Grade

First Row, Left to Right: Roger Young, Sharon Batdorff, Gloria Riegel, Pamela Batz, Susan Herbine, Jane Gromis, Dorene Long, Christine Erwin, Wayne Moyer.

Second Row: Teacher—Miss Laura Wagner, William Maurer, Virginia Anderson, Linda Swope, Doreen Behney, John Seiz, John Hayes, Dennis Boyer.

Third Row: Richard Artz, Brian Lape, David Coffey.

Not Pictured: Henry Fidler.



First Grade

First Row, Left to Right: Patricia Kintzer, Timothy Hohl, Vicki Ann Keppley, Russell Good, Sylvia Yeiser, Harold Styer, Janet Conrad, Ray Moyer, Kathleen Monroe.

*Second Row: Teacher—*Miss Laura May Snyder, Carol Ann Boyer, John Aulenbach, Susan Rohrbach, John Gosch, Linda Leininger, David Strunk, David Yiengst.

Not Pictured: Dennis Hartman.



*Play hard and fair, be loyal to your teammates and generous
to your opponents.*

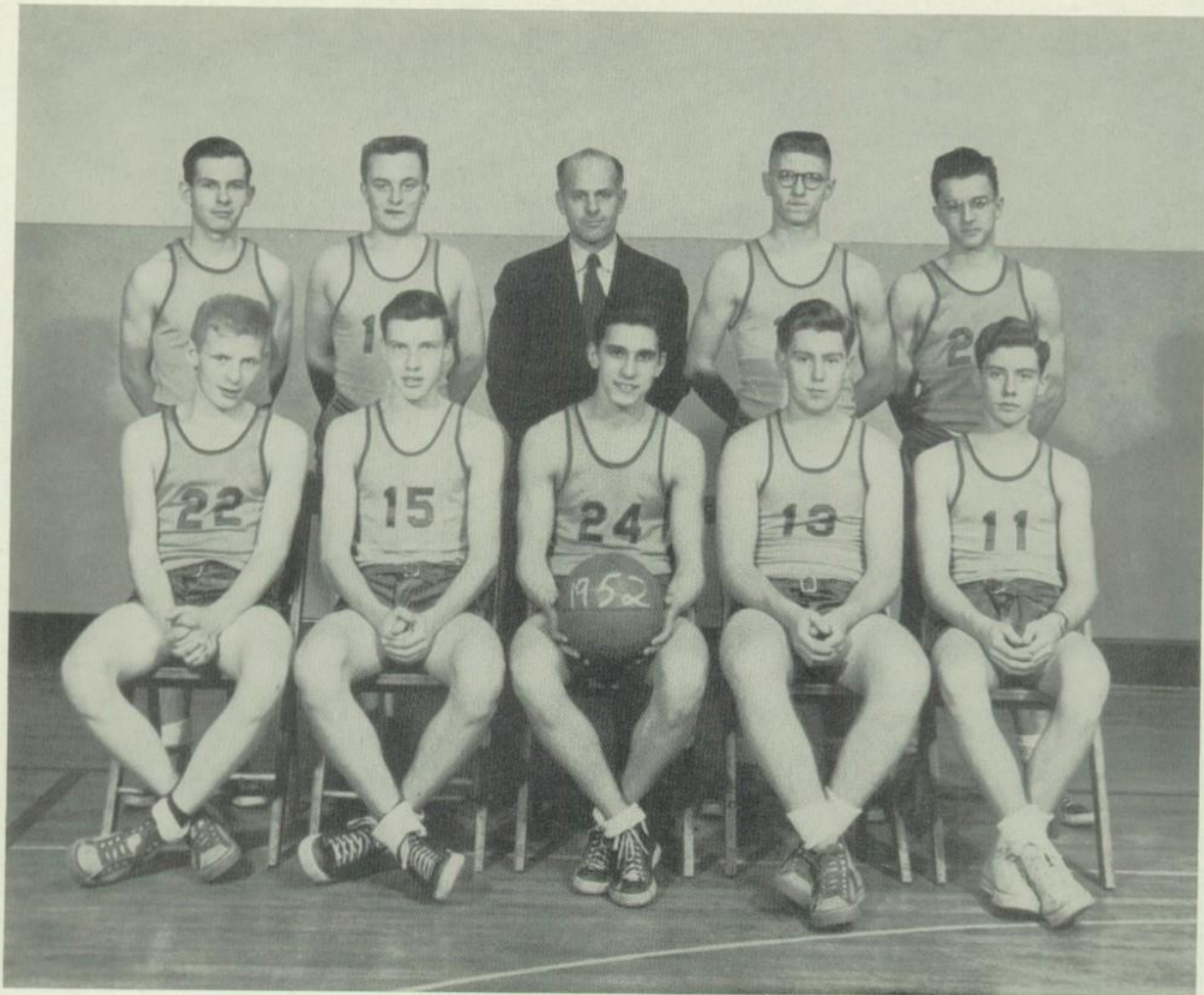


Soccer Squad

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Varsity Basketball

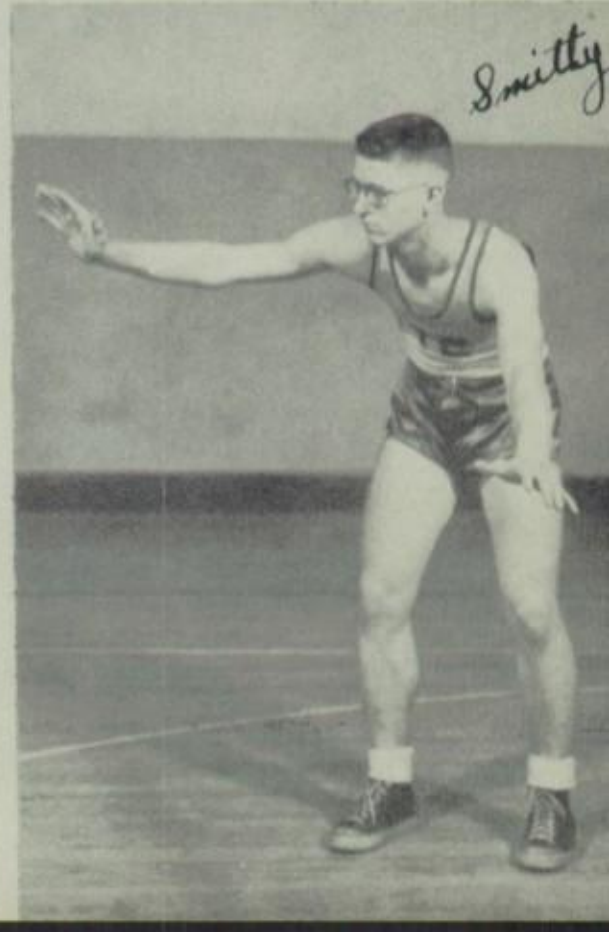
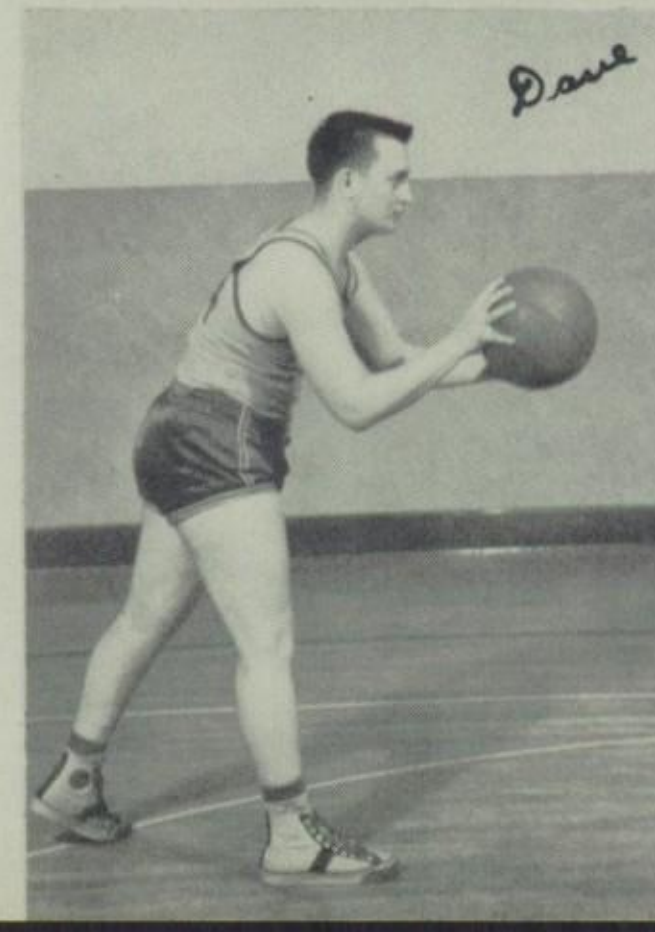
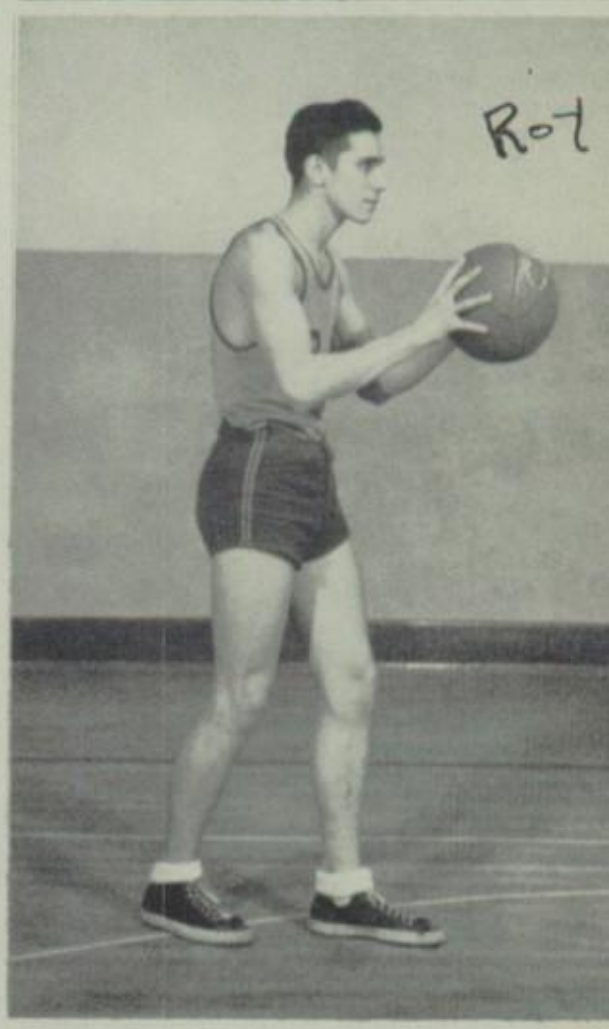
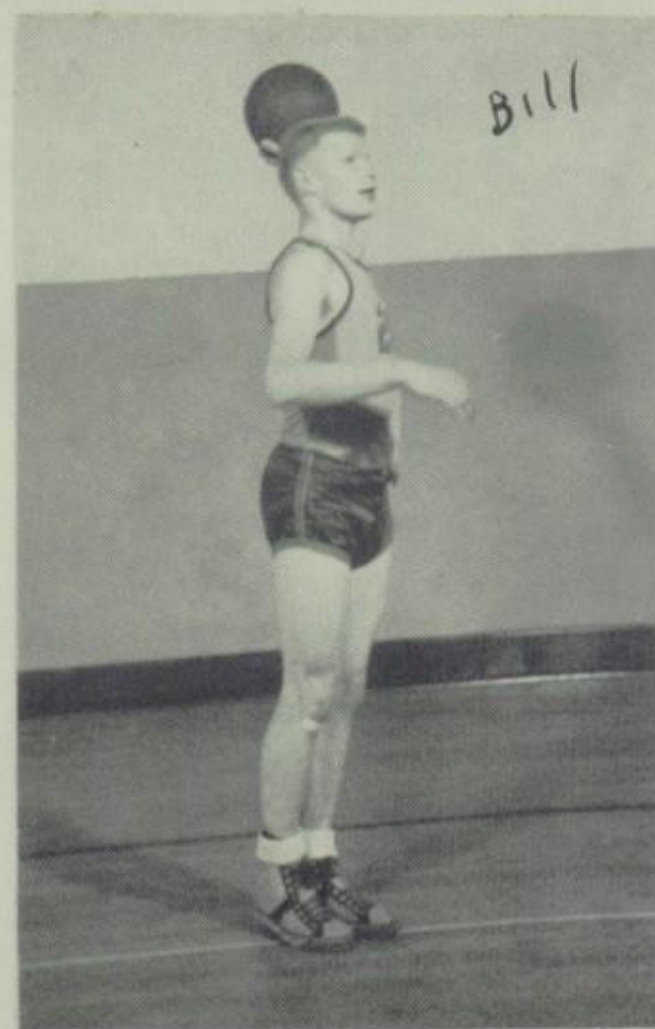
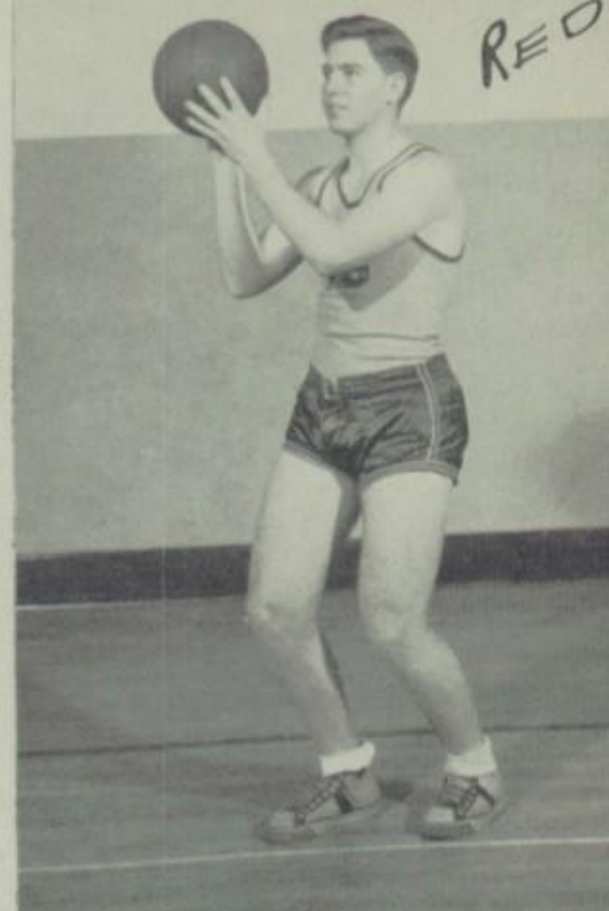
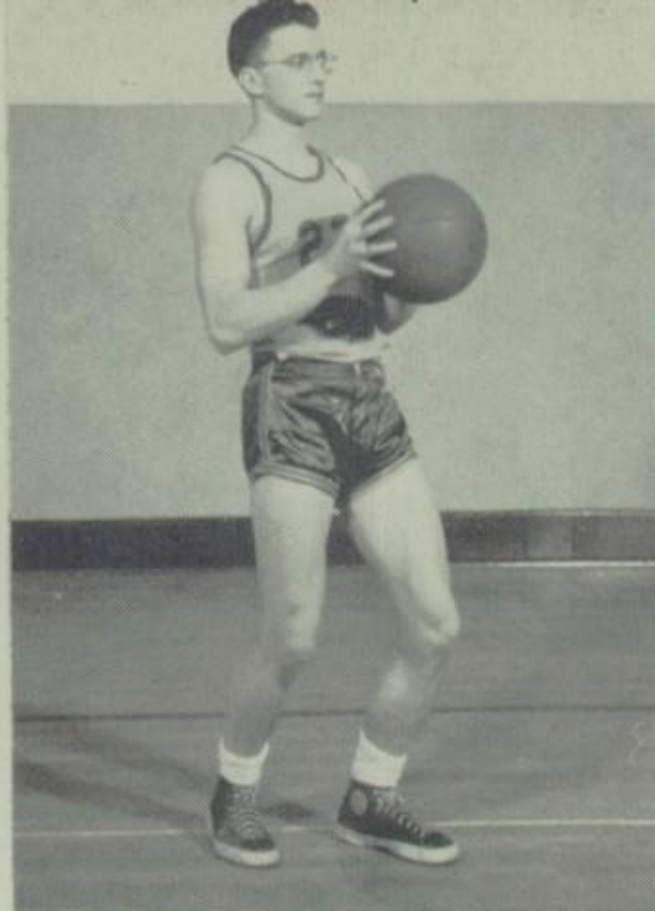
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Second Row: C. Bloss, D. Raihl, Coach Gibson, G. Smith, H. Smith.*



Managers: G. Hartman, J. Parana, E. Thoast, W. Chelius.



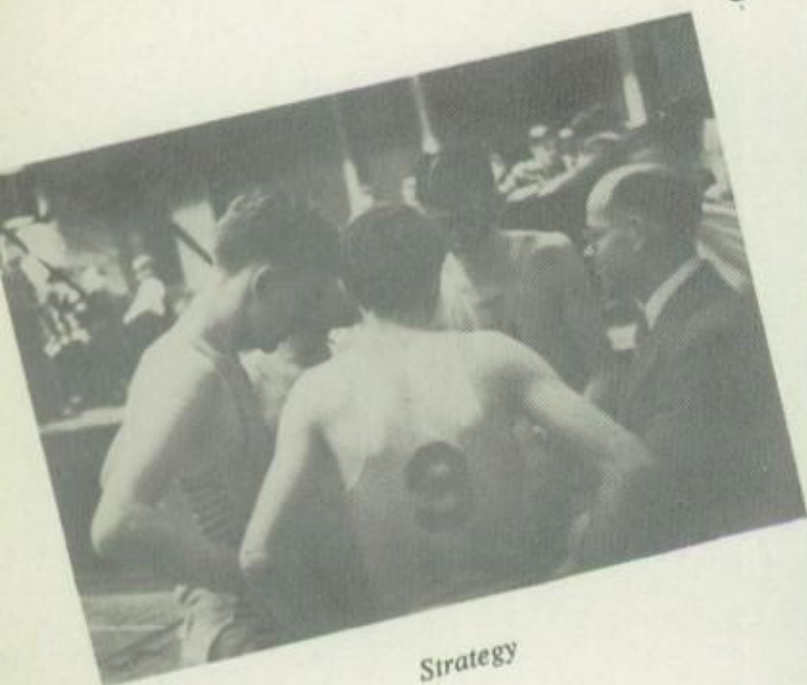
Let's Go





Left to Right: G. Warren, R. Hyssong, E. Schwartz, D. Shartle, G. Ney, G. Schwartz, E. Kershner, W. Lape, J. Behney, C. Miller, L. Schwartz, R. Schlicker, Coach Gibson.

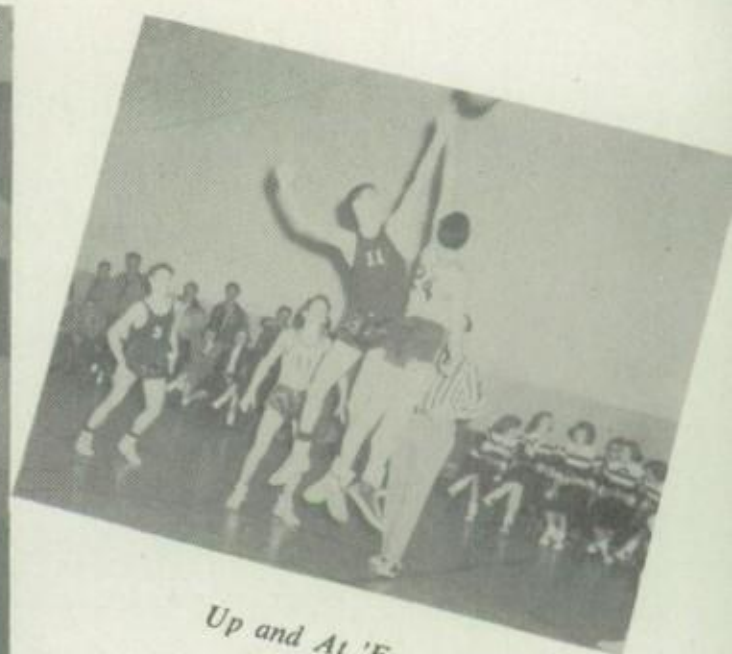
J. V. Basketball



Strategy



Warren Scores



Up and At 'Em



"Time Out!"



Before the Battle



Jump Shot



J. V. Cheerleaders:

From Left to Right: Grace Auchenbach, Jean Auman, Jill Bashore, Nancy Klopp.



Varsity Cheerleaders:

From Left to Right: Nannette DeLong, Anita Eiceman, Nancy Gerhart, Joyce Potteiger, Marian Kintzer.





Baseball Squad

First Row, Left to Right: R. Monroe, D. Monroe, E. Madenford, G. Warren, T. Deck—Bat Boy, C. Miller, H. Smith, W. Baitinger, R. Miller.

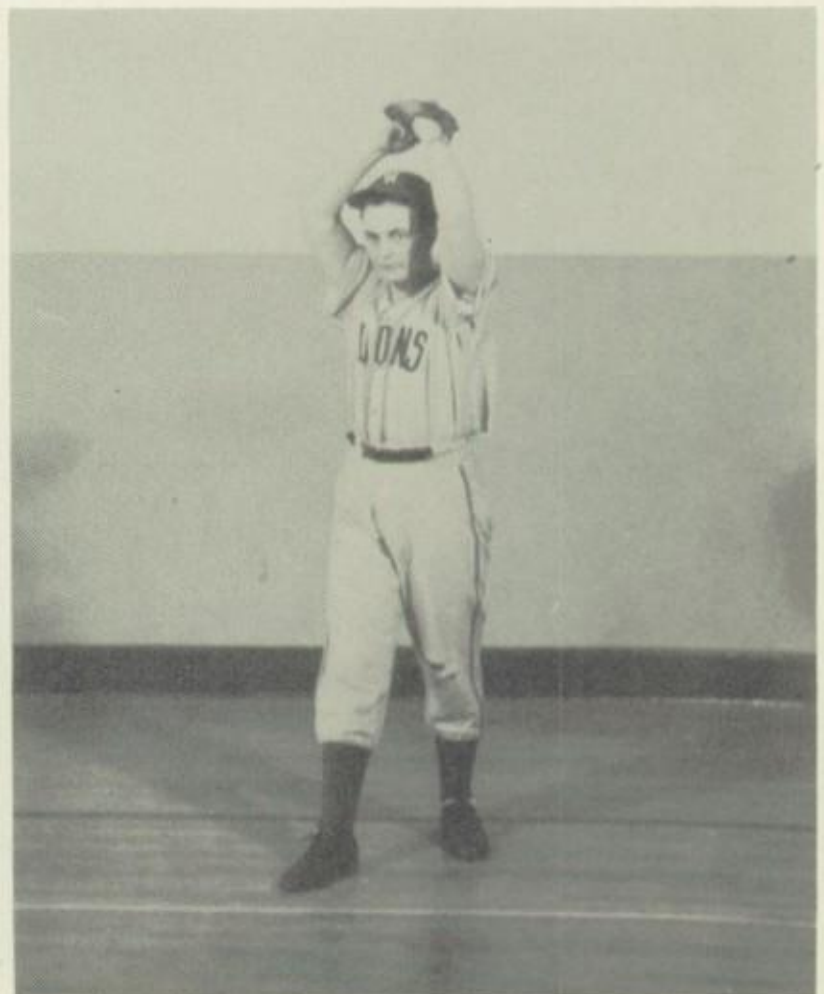
Second Row: D. Raihl, C. Bloss, L. Schwartz, A. Zerbe—Manager, Coach Himmelberger, G. Hartman, C. Madenford, M. Mattis, G. Smith.



That's How It's Done



Instructions



Proper Form

Sports Scope

As the newest sport added to Womelsdorf's athletic scene, soccer made a favorable appearance in the fall season of the Berks County Soccer League. The team and the coaches, playing with a few practices and inexperience, deserve a "well done" on their season. Our record was two ties, six losses; unfortunately the team didn't win any games.

		Opp.	W.
Wernersville	Home	3	0
Robeson	Away	4	0
Bernville	Away	1	0
Bethel	Home	2	0
Wernersville	Away	1	1
Robeson	Home	3	0
Bernville	Home	1	1
Bethel	Away	2	0

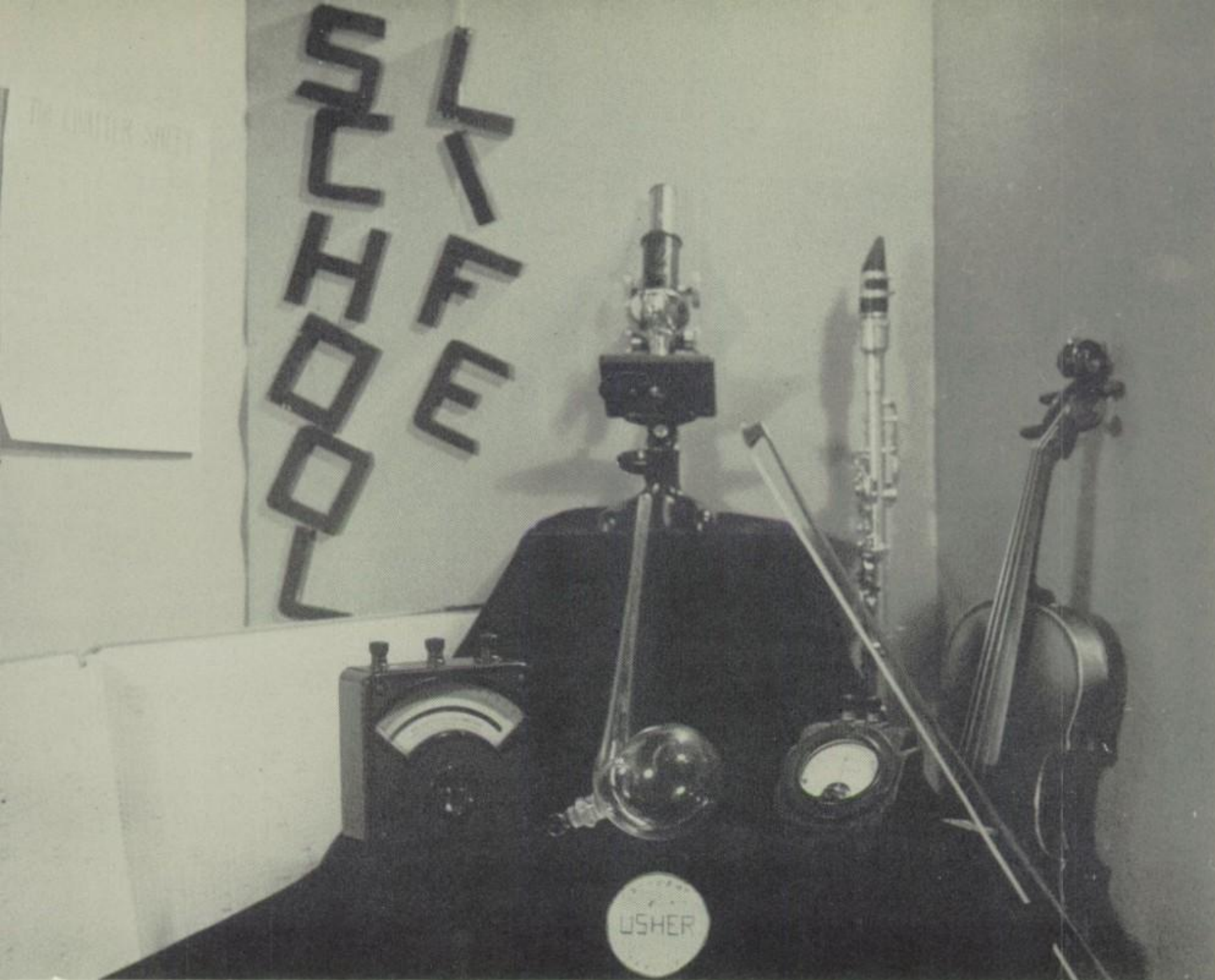
Our coaches were Elwood Himmelberger and William Heffner. The members of the soccer team were: David Monroe, Joseph Parana, David Raihl, Gerald Smith, Thomas Steward, George Ney, Donald Smith, William Baitinger, Eugene Madenford, Harry Schaum, Clair Miller, Robert Monroe, and Gerald Schwartz. Good luck to the Womelsdorf Soccer Team of 1952. If you work hard, every game can be won.

The spring is the season that children like most because the snow leaves us; the flowers and the outdoor sports return. The smaller children jump rope and play ball in their playground while the older ones play softball and baseball on the ball field. The surface of the playground has been coated with asphalt for the children's pleasure. We have a new baseball diamond with bleachers, dugouts, and a backstop. This will be the second year that the field is used. Our baseball prospects for this year are excellent.

	W.	Opp.
Wernersville at Womelsdorf	—	—
Womelsdorf at Bernville	—	—
Womelsdorf at Bethel	—	—
Sinking Spring at Womelsdorf	—	—
Womelsdorf at Robeson	—	—
Womelsdorf at Wernersville	—	—
Bernville at Womelsdorf	—	—
Bethel at Womelsdorf	—	—
Womelsdorf at Sinking Spring	—	—
Robeson at Womelsdorf	—	—

Coach Gibson's 1951-52 basketballers didn't have too much luck this year, but they put up a terrific struggle for victory, despite their lack of height. A few of the most thrilling games were with Myerstown, Richland, and Oley, which were lost by only one point. Our Junior Varsity has a group of prospects that will try to fill the Varsity's shoes next year. Good luck to the coach and players in 1952-53.

		Varsity		J. Varsity	
		W.	Opp.	W.	Opp.
Alumni	(H)	45	53	39	40
Oley	(A)	38	54	30	23
Fleetwood	(A)	34	61	25	35
Wernersville	(A)	35	49	26	27
Myerstown	(H)	44	45	39	35
Robeson	(H)	28	69	27	24
South Lebanon	(A)	37	26	31	29
Sinking Spring	(H)	31	45	32	58
Mohnton	(A)	27	59	23	32
Bethel	(A)	25	44	39	19
Wernersville	(H)	35	27	31	17
Fleetwood	(H)	60	39	38	33
Robeson	(A)	27	62	19	46
Mohnton	(H)	49	73	32	25
Oley	(H)	40	41	51	30
Sinking Spring	(A)	49	67	48	43
Bethel	(A)	52	56	56	15
Richland	(H)	51	53	58	33
South Lebanon	(H)	51	60	41	27



"Blessed is he who is trained not only for work but for play, not only for labor but for leisure, who has stored within himself a wealth of simple skills, and interests in games, handicrafts, music, drama, literature, nature, contemplations, comradeship—all these upon which to draw for leisure-hour happiness."

—DOROTHY C. ENDERIS



Band

First Row, Left to Right: Marlene Long, Nancy Gerhart, Joyce Potteiger, Nancy Klopp, Gail Maurer, Marian Kintzer.

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Third Row, Left to Right: Charlotte Knerr, Shirley Fetter,

Michael Mattis, Dale Rosenberger, Margaret McLean, Harvey Deck, Adam Zerbe, John Sellers, Leonard Price, Edwin Kershner, Gretchen Ritter, Marianne Gosch, Susan Gosch.

Fourth Row, Left to Right: Terry Deck, Terry Alexander, Jay Hippert, David Hays, Gerald Oberly, Peggy Flickinger, William Lape, Robert Correll, Dale Meiser, William McLean, Robert Gibson, Dolores Conrad, William Gosch, Frederick Herbine.

Not Pictured: Violet Fidler, Shirley Unger, David Pannabecker



Orchestra

First Row, Left to Right: Director—Mr. J. Albert Leader, Carl Bloss, Marian Leiningner, Nannette DeLong, Samuel Fogal, Robert Gibson, Ann Seyler, Harriet Ann Good, Wayne Chelius.

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Senior Chorus

First Row, Left to Right: Jill Bashore, Delores Gilbert, Charlotte Knerr, Patricia Bassett, Peggy Flickinger, David Monroe, Patricia Schaum, Vivian Manbeck, Roy Rosenberger, Shirley Fetter, Nancy Correll, Helen Snyder, Geraldine Hartman.

Second Row, Left to Right: Director—Mr. J. Albert Leader, Nancy Schaeffer, Gerald Smith, William Baitinger, Diane Shartle, Mildred Meyer, Marian Leninger, Joyce Potteiger, Pauline Schwartz, Evelyn Boyer, Aileen Hook, Marlene Long, Anita Eiceman, Nannette DeLong, Jean Auman, Margaret McLean,

Barbara Rieker, Clair Miller, Edward Schwartz, George Ney.

Third Row, Left to Right: Richard Schlicker, Nancy Gerhart, Marian Kintzer, Anne Warren, Lois Putt, Margaret McGee, Rachael Miller, Shirley Henninger, Ann Seyler, Irene Parana, Nancy Mountz, Violet Fidler, Louis Schwartz, Luther Moyer.

Fourth Row, Left to Right: Robert Monroe, Edwin Kershner, Jerome Behney, Donald Smith, James Dengler, Richard Hyssong, Carl Hunter, Gerald Schwartz, Joseph Parana, David Raihl, Charles Madenford, Donald Shartle, Carl Bloss.



Junior Chorus

First Row, Left to Right: Sylvia Gerhart, Susan Gosch, Nancy Spitler, Dolores Conrad, Sandra Oberly, Gail Maurer, Marilyn McLean, Marianne Gosch, Diane Auman, Lorraine Spangler, Louise Parana, Shirley Gilbert, Betsy Eagelman.

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Third Row, Left to Right: Robert Gibson, Kenneth Riegle, Gerald Oberly, Dale Meiser, David Hayes, Harry Schaum, Robert Fidler, Ronald McNab, Samuel Fogal, Jay Hippert, Wayne Chelius, Barry Bickel, Terry Deck, Frederick Herbine, William Gosch.

Fourth Row, Left to Right: David Pannabecker, William Lape, Karl Fink, Robert Correll, Clarence Hinnerstitz, Wilson Hartmanft, Russell Abbott, Dale Rosenberger, John Sellers, Adam Zerbe, William Conrad, Michael Mattis, George Conrad, Paul Snyder, Delbert Maze, William McLean.



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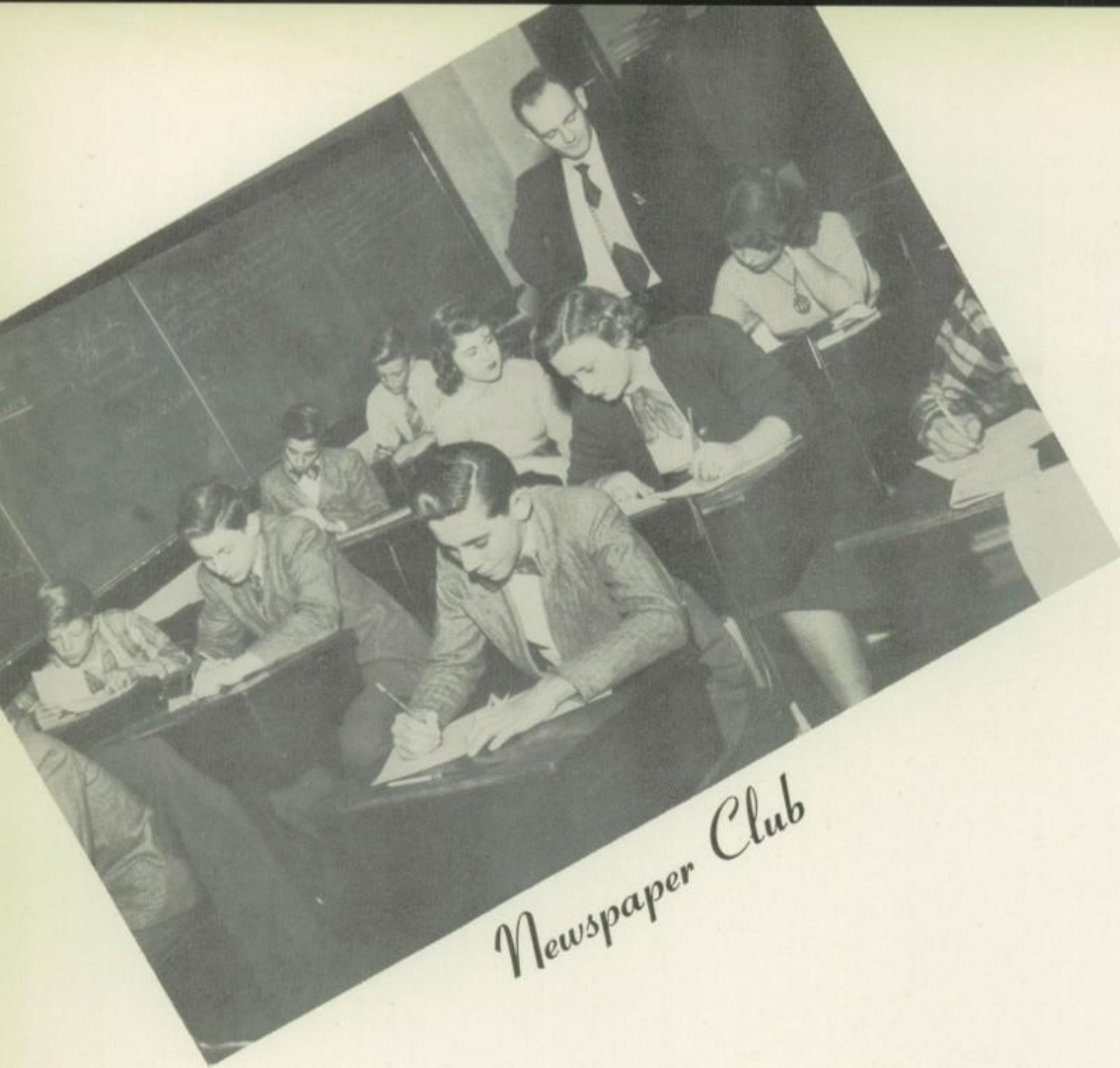
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